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Mail Stop AF In re Patent Application of Group Art Unit: 3617 Vincent George McCarthy et al. Application No.: 10/574,968 Examiner: Edwin L. Swinehart Confirmation No.: 5903 Filed: September 20, 2006 Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR REDUCING MOTION OF FLOATING VESSEL **NOTICE OF APPEAL** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner. **S** \$ 540 ☐ \$ 270 \boxtimes The fee for this appeal is: \boxtimes Charge \$540 to credit card. \boxtimes A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. Respectfully submitted, **BUCHANAN INGERSOLL & ROONEY PC**

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